IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed March 12, 2007, the shortened statutory period for which runs until June 12, 2007, and the two-month reply period for which runs until May 14, 2007, as May 12, 2007, falls on a Saturday.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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